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President H. Clay Cummings

# H. Clay Cummings Dies Of Heart Attack Wed.

H. Clay Cummings, "father of the Wasatch Mountain State Park" and recently released president of the New Zealand Mission of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, died of a heart attack Wednesday morning, July 4th at his home in Heber.

Mr. Cummings was released from his assignment in New Zealand April 1 to take over direction of the new park. He was named the first superintendent of the park only Sunday. Until that time, he had been serving as project coordinator.

Mr. Cummings had been working strenuously on details for the park Tuesday when he attended meetings in both Provo and Salt Lake.

He met with State Road Commissioner Director C. Taylor Burton in Salt Lake on plans to develop a skyline drive in Wasatch County, and walked up all six floors of the new Capitol Building, reported his wife, and become ill a few hours later.

A life-long resident of Heber, Mr. Cummings held an impressive number of civic, Church and business positions.

He was mayor of Heber for four terms and served as a Wasatch County commissioner one term. He was also director of the State Wool Assn., president of the Heber Exchange, and a director of Oil, Inc.

He presided over the Wasatch Stake for 21 years and served as bishop of the Heber Second Ward following his second (Eastern States) mission. He filled his first mission in the Northern States.

He and Mrs. Cummings were called on a special assignment from the First Presidency at the New Zealand Temple Bureau of Information in August 1960. From that position, they were called to preside over the New Zealand in February 1961.

In 1959, he began to acquire land for the Wasatch Mountain State

OTHER MARRIAGES

NECESSARY EXPLANATIONS

<b>HUSBAND</b>		Husband		Henry Clay CUMMINGS	
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## WIFE

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H. C. Cummings . . . Served as Heber mayor four terms.

*Wed. July 4 - 1962*

## Chief of State Park Dies In Heber—Heart Attack

Special to The Tribune

HEBER—H. Clay Cummings, longtime Wasatch County rancher, civic official and churchman, who was appointed Sunday as the first superintendent of the Wasatch Mountain State Park, died Wednesday at 7:30 a.m. at his home here after a heart attack.

MR. CUMMINGS, 67, had been project coordinator for the park since April 1, a position he assumed after serving as president of the New Zealand Mission, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

Active in the livestock business most of his life, he was mayor of Heber for four terms and a Wasatch County commissioner for four years.

MR. CUMMINGS also was director of the State Wool Assn., president of the Heber Exchange, a director of Oil, Inc., a member of the state Forest Advisory Board, chairman of the Bureau of Land Management Advisory Board for 15 years, and a member of the Deer Creek Reservoir Board during dam construction.

He also had been a director of the Utah Valley Hospital in Provo during its construction.

**DURING HIS** tenure as Heber mayor, the Heber power plant was reestablished, street pavement was laid and street lighting was completed in Heber.

Before his call to the New Zealand Mission, Mr. Cummings was a member of the Heber Valley Citizen's Committee, which assisted the Utah State Park and Recreation Commission in obtaining property for the park.

**AS RESIDENT** negotiator for the commission in 1959, he began to acquire land for the Wasatch Mountain State Park and negotiated the purchase of about 18,000 acres.

Mr. Cummings and his wife went to New Zealand in 1960 from Hawaii, where he had been on an LDS mission.

**HE WAS FIRST** director of the temple bureau of information at Hamilton, and in February, 1961, he was called to head the mission, which has headquarters in Auckland.

Mr. Cummings was president of the Wasatch LDS Stake for more than 20 years.

**WHEN MR.** Cummings' assignment as project coordinator with the park was announced, Commission Chairman Harold P. Fabian said one of the reasons he was chosen was because he "has proven to be a key figure in the park's establishment."

He was born Dec. 11, 1894, in Heber, a son of Elisha Jones and Hannah Mary Clegg Cummings.

**HE ATTENDED** Utah State Agricultural College and was a first lieutenant and pilot in World War I.

He married Ruby Emma Nielson Jan. 26, 1918, in San Diego, while he was in the service. Their marriage was solemnized in the Salt Lake LDS Temple a few months later.

**SURVIVORS** include his widow; five sons and one daughter, Velgh Cummings, Salt Lake City; Kyle and Melvin Cummings, both of Denver; E. Jay and LaVell Cummings, both of Heber; Mrs. Maurice (Yvonne) Miller, Provo; 25 grandchildren; a great-grandchild; a brother and two sisters, Elisha C. Cummings and Mrs. Francis Vivian Carlile, both of Heber, and Mrs. Lillian Moulton, Salt Lake City.

**FUNERAL SERVICES** will be conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Wasatch LDS Stake Tabernacle.

Friends may call at the Olpin Mortuary, Heber, Friday from 7 to 9 p.m., and Saturday prior to services. Burial will be in the Heber Cemetery.



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Cunningham Fabian

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Born December 6, 1901 in Sheridan, Wyoming, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Cunningham. Her early years were spent in Lincoln and Wood River, Nebraska. On February 14, 1937 she married Harold P. Fabian in Los Angeles, California. A noted Author and Historian, one of her most well known works was a novel, "The Jackson Hole Story", published in 1963. Her Guide Book to Jackson Hole has been reprinted 10 times. She wrote a history of Yellowstone Park, and co-authored many musical plays with the late Ethel Hegal Hansen Heinz. She also wrote several songs, including the prize winning "Stand Up for the Flag". She presented several of her musical plays with singer Virginia Barker Clark and Mrs. Heinz. Two of her works were "Lucky Lindy", the story of the Lindbergh flight and a mystery that took place at Salthair.

In formulating the Teton National Park for the Rockefeller Foundation. She was the historian for the Jackson Hole Preserve, a member of the National Historical Society, and traveled the world with her husband for the National Parks Board. She was a member of the National Pen Women, the Utah Pen Women, The Reading Room for the Blind and the Alta Club. She taped hundreds of tales of the early settlers for the Historical Archives. Over 1500 people were her guests at their ranch at the base of the Grand Teton, and each guest received as their napkin ring, a clothes pin with their name and date inscribed on it. Those who came included Lady Bird Johnson, Charlton Heston, many civic and religious leaders and foreign dignitaries.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Kathern Mulcahey, San Francisco, California; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Lewelyn Johns (Bunty), San Francisco, California; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Ferrel Cunningham, Medford, Oregon; a nephew, John Fabian (Don) Clark, Salt Lake City and a niece, Mrs. Mary M. Clark, Torrance, California; a nephew, James Cunningham, Wood River, Nebraska.

Funeral services will be Wednesday 11:30 a.m. at the Neil O'Donnell Mortuary, 372 East 100 South, where friends may call one hour prior to services. Interment: Mt. Olivet Cemetery, T 12/22 N3 12/24

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FABIAN, Harold Pegram, lawyer; b. Salt Lake City, Utah, Apr. 1, 1885; s. Ferdinand John and Minnie (Pegram) F.; grad. pub. schs., Salt Lake City and Mercersburg Acad., Pa.; A. B., Yale U., 1907; LL.B., Harvard U., 1910; m. Ruth Chapman, of Evanston, Wyo., Oct. 19, 1910; c. Ruth P., Ferdinand J. II. After being admitted to Utah bar in 1910, began practice of law in Salt Lake City; mem. firm, Dey, Hoppage & Fabian, 1910-17; Bagley, Fabian, Clendenin & Judd, 1917-23; Fabian & Clendenin, 1923—. Delegate to Rep. nat. conv., 1920; mem. Rep. Nat. Com., since 1928; v.p.

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Hubers  
 Nephi Huber  
 Joseph T Huber  
 Alma Huber



Nephi Huber . . . Owner of Heber lands for state park.



Joseph T. Huber . . . Family settled Wasatch lands, 1863.



Alma Huber . . . Gives option on lands for proposed park.

## State Park Nearing Reality in Wasatch

Special to The Tribune

HEBER — Wasatch Mountain State Park took a step nearer reality with the signing of options by three Midway citizens who owned property on the proposed park site.

Options securing 2,400 acres, pasture and farm land and Nephi Huber, owner since 1863.

**OPTIONS ON ACH**  
 Eugene Bernard and Clara signed. If signed it will cover 2,400 acres.

And, as the project is a type village are being made.

H. Clay Cummings, regional Commission, is in charge.

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HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES \_\_\_\_\_

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Marty Van Rosendaal takes his medicine at swine flu clinic Friday.

# Disappointing turnout